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Herscovici et al.

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Title: **NOVEL NUCLEIC ACID
TRANSFERRING AGENTS,
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Sir:

Applicant(s) request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37
C.F.R. 1.136(a) for:

- ☒ one month (\$110) ☐ three months (\$920) ☐ five months (\$1960)
☐ two months (\$400) ☐ four months (\$1440)

The fee set in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 for the extension is \$

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$
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- ☐ Response ☐ Notice of Appeal ☐ Appeal Brief

Respectfully submitted,
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